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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115  
IN RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 13, 1996 OFFICE ACTION  
AND PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 13, 1996 issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action was due December 13, 1996. A two-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action is hereby requested. The required fee for this two month extension of time is ONE HUNDRED NINETY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$195.00) and a check including \$195.00 is enclosed. A response to the Office Action with a one-month extension of time is due January 13, 1997. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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